The Silver Dollar (Lubin).—This is a "chase" picture with a number of amusing situations, although the series of tumbles and collisions are not managed with enough natural plausibility to make them of full comedy value. A tramp finds a silver dollar, buys a hearty meal and goes to sleep, dreaming that the dollar, grown to mammoth size, has slipped from his pocket and rolled away. His pursuit of the dollar is the excuse for the chase, which ends when a load of ashes is dumped on him, waking him up.

WILLIE'S WATER SPRINKLER

Length
340 Feet

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Willie took grandpa's garden sprinkler and starts out to have some fun. His object is a dude, who, mistaking the water sprinkler's action for rain, opens his umbrella. He meets with many mishaps, all caused by mischievous Willie, and is at last subjected to a severe douche by a fire hose, which seems to him like a tornado in comparison to Willie's water sprinkler.

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The Silver Dollar

Length
475 Feet

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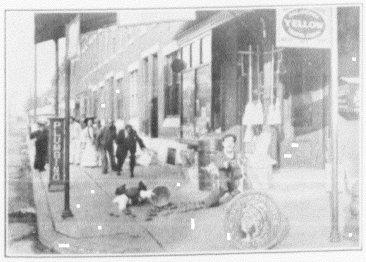
A tramp finds a dollar. He at once invests the money in Welsh rarebit, after which he takes a well-earned rest. But the Welsh rarebit causes bad dreams. He sees the silver dollar coming out of his pocket. It is growing and growing until it is big enough to run, and run it does. The tramp in pursuit. The silver dollar has many narrow escapes, so has the tramp. The dollar, however, is quicker than the tramp and speedily rolls on.



The tramp would surely have caught the dollar had not a cart of ashes been dumped on him, which interrupted his dreamy slumber.

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"The Silver Dollar."—S. Lubin has created a picture under this title which not only illustrates what fantastic dreams one can have after he has eaten heartily, but it also shows how the crowd will chase the dollar. Some of its situations are funny enough, but the long winded chase and the destruction of property and more or less indecent struggles between men and women are not to be commended.

The Unlucky Horseshoe

Length
460 Feet

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There is a runaway. A fellow is thrown out of the buggy while the horse lost a shoe. Fool Thriller, seeing people this way, finds the horseshoe, which proves very unlucky to him. He first falls through a cellar door and lands on the coal heap. Speaking with a friend, a wall-eating automobile kills him. He brings the horseshoe to his house. The stone-jug explodes, the kitchen gets wrecked and even over the chicken coop the horseshoe proves unlucky to a colored man—steals the chickens.

While the falling fool closes up on the Professor he throws the horseshoe out of the window into a passerby. He concludes he has enough bad luck and carries it back to the place where he found it.